

UNITED STATES OF DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

FRED T. VAN DAM)	
)	
Plaintiff,)	
)	Case No. 04-12654-RGS
v.)	
)	
DAVID M. MCSWEENEY,)	
Trustee of MC Realty Trust;)	
ROCKLAND LEASE FUNDING CORP.;)	
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA; and)	
GENERAL ELECTRIC COMMERCIAL)	
EQUIPMENT FINANCING,)	
)	
Defendants.)	

UNITED STATES' CERTIFICATION UNDER
LOCAL RULE 16.1(D)(3)

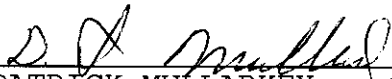
The United States of America, by its attorney, Michael J. Sullivan, United States Attorney for the District of Massachusetts, submits the following pursuant to Mass. R. 16.1(D)(3).

D. Patrick Mullarkey is the Chief of the Civil Trial Section, Northern Region, Tax Division, Department of Justice, and has settlement authority in the above-captioned case.

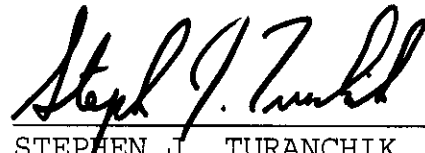
Stephen J. Turanchik is the Trial Attorney for the Department of Justice assigned with primary responsibility for the above-captioned case.

The undersigned affirm that they have conferred (1) with a view to establishing a budget for the costs of conducting the full course - and various alternative courses - for the litigation; and (2) to consider the resolution of the litigation

through the use of alternative dispute resolution programs such as those outlined in Local Rule 16.4.



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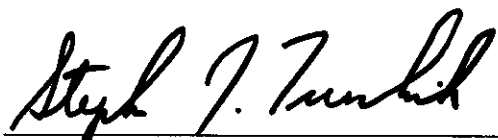
I hereby certify that a true copy of this United States' Certification under Local Rule 16.1(D)(3) was served upon the following by regular mail, prepaid postage on this 28~~th~~ day of April, 2005.

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